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Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office communication mailed by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 21, 2006, and a second Office communication mailed August 3, 2006, please extend the time for response two (2 months) to expire on September 21, 2006. A Petition for Extension of Time and the requisite fee are enclosed. Please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.